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Moskow, Novemb. 8.

Since the conclusion of the Peace between our Czar and the Grand Signior, very little has passed here, worth acquainting you with: we are expecting the Ratifications of the said Peace, the Czar having sent an Ambassador to *Constantinople* to carry his, and to exchange them with those of the Port. Some have indeed raised a report, that the Grand Signior makes difficulty to confirm the said Peace, looking upon several Articles of it to be too advantageous to the Moscovites; and that our Ambassador is dead in his journey, but there seems not to be any ground for either. The Commissioners appointed by the King of Sweden and the Czar, for the adjusting the differences concerning the Limits, have had several Meetings in a small place on the frontiers, but with the same success that their former Conferences on this subject have had, both Parties continuing obstinate in their Pretensions, and appearing resolved not in the least to yield to the other. The Czar, we are told, intends to go and visit his frontiers towards Sweden and Poland.

Danzick, Decemb. 17. The Letters from Poland give us an account, that the King was resolved to call another Diet in February or March, which it is hoped will have a better conclusion, than that which was held in the beginning of this year; That the Peace between the Turks and the Moscovites was not yet ratified; and that the Poles were well pleased to see the Ratifications thus delayed; and endeavoured what they could to make a new breach between the Turks and the Moscovites.

Copenhagen, Jan. 6. The Fortifications of the Castle of *Cronenburg* having received very great prejudice, by the violent storms we have had of late in these parts, the King went thither three or four days since to take an Account thereof, and to give Orders for the repairing the damages they had sustained. The last week arrived an Express from Paris, with Letters for the French Ambassador here, who since, has had several Conferences with Count *Alesfelt*, Great Chancellor of this Kingdom. It is said, that the said Ambassador endeavours to dissuade our King from entering into the League of Guaranty, lately concluded between the Crown of Sweden and the States-General of the United Provinces. We are told that our King intends to go in the Spring for Norway, and that six men of War are ordered to be fitted out for that purpose. From *Stockholme* they write, that the King of Sweden was so well recovered, that he would in a very short time be able to go abroad.

Turin, Dec. 17. A Company having been established here, for the managing a Trade with Portugal, and Moneys for that purpose advanced by several par-

ticular persons, and Orders given for the buying of Ships in *Holland*: It has after all, been found to be a design that is not like to turn to any account; and therefore the persons that the most zealously promoted it, do now give it over, and the Moneys advanced are to be returned to the Owners thereof. There have been at this Court three Princes of *Neuburg*; and this Morning they are gone for *Milan*, and from thence will go and visit other parts of *Italy*. On Monday last arrived here the Marquis *de Castel Rodrigo* from *Spain*; he is going to *Milan* to take possession of the Command of General of the Horse in that Duchy, which the King of *Spain* has lately conferred upon him. The French intend to add several new Fortifications to *Catal*; the Governor Monsieur *Catenat* has been very ill.

Vienna, Jan. 3. The Emperor, we are told, is sending several persons to *Germany*, to press the Circles to furnish forthwith their respective Quota's to the Army of the Empire, that so it may be brought on foot, to act this next Summer, as the Affairs of the Empire shall require. There are fresh Letters from *Hungary*, but they give not any account of the meeting of the Emperors Commissioners with the Deputies of Count *Teckele*, and the other Heads of the Rebels. It's probable our next Letters will, and that they will tell us what we may expect from it. The Journey of Count *Caprara*, whom the Emperor had appointed to go his Ambassador to the Grand Signior, is stopt for the present, upon some Advices received from *Constantinople*; what they are we cannot yet learn; but in the general it is said, that this Court is well assured of the Resolutions of the Port to continue the Peace between the two Empires. We are still expecting the Duke of *Lorraine*, upon whose arrival a great Council of War will be held, and several important Resolutions taken with relation to the Affairs of *Germany*, which seem at present to be the great subject of the Consultations here.

Berlin, Jan. 14. Monsieur *Rabenac*, Envoye from *France*, is often with our Elector's Ministers, and omits nothing that may promote the Interests of his Master, and keep his Electoral Highness from entering into the League of Guaranty, which is proposed for the maintaining the peace of *Germany*; but we do not find his endeavours have any great success; his Electoral Highness seeming resolved not to depart from the Interests of the Empire. And in these his Resolutions it's not doubted, he will be confirmed by the Duke of *Hanover*, who as we have already told you, is expected here very suddenly, and who we are informed, comes as well to make his Electoral Highness a visit, as to confer with him concerning the present state of Affairs, and to concert with him the Measures, which shall appear necessary